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Re: LIAW, Jeffrey
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Our Case: P75001 Filing Date: Nov 29, 2001
Title: Adhering Sealing Member to Metal With Weld Heat
Examiner's Report Dated: September 13, 2004
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Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith, please find a response to the Office Action mailed 09/13/2004. The response comprises # 4 pages.

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CONDITIONAL REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

It is hereby petitioned that, under 37 CFR 1.136, the response term in this application be extended, if necessary, to a date which includes the filing date of the present amendment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) a one-month extension fee for a large entity (Fee Code 1253) of US \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 18-1350 under an order number corresponding to our file Case No. P75001.

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This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed 09/13/2004.

Please amend the claims to adopt the following complete listing of all the claims in this application.

The listing of claims commences on page 2.

Written comments commence on page 4.